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AG Bruning: States File U.S. Supreme Court Reply Brief in Health Care Act Challenge

LINCOLN – Attorney General Jon Bruning today announced Nebraska and 25 other states challenging the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act filed a reply brief that addresses which issues the U.S. Supreme Court should review in the health care law challenge.

“While all parties agree that the individual mandate and severability issues should be heard, the Court should also address the constitutionality of the federal government’s unaffordable and coercive Medicaid expansion,” said Bruning. “We’re asking the Court address the Act’s numerous constitutional flaws as quickly as possible.”